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SUBJECT: MAPUTO CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 91898 (NOTAL)

1. COMMITTEE OF 24 AND COUNCIL FOR NAMIBIA MET JOINTLY ON  
APRIL 28 TO APPROVE THE THIRD OF THREE REPORTS ON THE  
MAPUTO CONFERENCE BY THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (FIRST TWO  
WERE ISSUED MARCH 1 AND MARCH 23 AT A/CONF. 82/PC/1 AND 2).  
THIS REPORT GIVES THE GUIDELINES FOR THE CONFERENCE.  
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2. COMMITTEE OF 24 CHAIRMAN SALIM (TANZANIA) COMMENTED THAT  
THERE ARE NOW 50 COUNTRIES THAT HAVE OFFICIALLY INFORMED THE  
SECRETARIAT THAT THEY INTEND TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CONFERENCE.  
PLEDGES NOW TOTAL APPROXIMATELY \$301,000(US).

3. TEXT OF THIRD REPORT FOLLOWS: QUOTE

DRAFT GUIDELINES FOR THE CONFERENCE APPROVED BY THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

I. STATUS AND RIGHTS OF PARTICIPANTS, OBSERVERS AND SPECIAL GUESTS

1. REPRESENTATIVES AND INDIVIDUALS ATTENDING THE CONFERENCE SHALL HAVE THE STATUS OF PARTICIPANTS, OBSERVERS OR SPECIAL GUESTS AS PROVIDED IN THE FIRST AND SECOND REPORTS OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (DOCUMENTS A/CONF.82/PC/1 AND 2).
2. PARTICIPANTS SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN DISCUSSIONS AND SUBMIT PROPOSALS BOTH IN THE PLENARY AND IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.
3. OBSERVERS SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO ATTEND PLENARY SESSIONS, TO ADDRESS THE CONFERENCE AND TO SUBMIT DOCUMENTS.
4. SPECIAL GUESTS, INVITED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 18 OF THE FIRST REPORT OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (DOCUMENT A/CONF.82/PC/1) SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO ATTEND AND ADDRESS THE CONFERENCE IN PLENARY SESSION.

XI. ORGANIZATION OF THE CONFERENCE

5. THE WORK OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN PLENARY SESSIONS AND IN A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE. PLENARY SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL BE OPEN TO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PRESS AND OTHER UNCLASSIFIED

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FORMATION MEDIA AND TO THE PUBLIC UNLESS OTHERWISE DECIDED. THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL MEET IN CLOSED SESSION UNLESS OTHERWISE DECIDED.

6. THE OPENING PLENARY SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL DEAL, INTER ALIA, WITH THE OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE, THE ADOPTION OF THE PRESENT GUIDELINES, THE ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND THE ELECTION OF THE OFFICERS OF THE PLENARY CONFERENCES. THE FINAL PLENARY SESSION SHALL DEAL, INTER ALIA, WITH THE ADOPTION OF THE FINAL DOCUMENTS OF THE CONFERENCE AND THE CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE.
7. THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL BE CHARGED WITH THE TASK OF PREPARING THE TEXTS OF THE FINAL DOCUMENTS OF THE CONFERENCE. THE COMMITTEE MAY INVITE OBSERVERS TO ATTEND ITS MEETINGS AND MAKE STATEMENTS.
8. THE COMMITTEE MAY ESTABLISH SMALL WORKING GROUPS AS APPROPRIATE TO ASSIST IT IN CARRYING OUT ITS TASKS. THESE

WORKING GROUPS SHALL MEET INFORMALLY AND WITHOUT INTER-  
PRETATION.

9. THE RAPPORTEUR OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL SUBMIT  
TO THE CONFERENCE IN PLENARY SESSION A REPORT OR REPORTS  
ON THE RESULTS OF ITS WORK.

10. THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGES OF THIS CONFERENCE SHALL BE ENGLISH  
AND FRENCH.

11. THERE SHALL BE NO VERBATIM OR SUMMARY RECORDS OF THE PRO-  
CEEDINGS.

12. THE FUNCTIONING OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL BE CO-ORDINATED  
BY THE STEERING COMMITTEE REFERRED TO HEREFTER.

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III. OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE

13. THE CONFERENCE SHALL ELECT A PRESIDENT, FIVE VICE-PRESIDENTS AND A RAPPORTEUR.

14. THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL DESIGNATE FROM AMONG THE VICE-PRESIDENTS THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

15. THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL ELECT THREE VICE-CHAIRMAN AND A RAPPORTEUR.

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16. THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY SHALL BE AN EX OFFICIO OFFICER OF THE CONFERENCE.

--IN ADDITION, THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA RECOGNIZED BY THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY WHICH ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE SHALL DESIGNATE FROM AMONG THEIR MEMBERS ONE REPRESENTATIVE WHO SHALL SERVE AS AN EX OFFICIO OFFICER OF THE CONFERENCE.--

17. THE OFFICERS PRESIDING OVER PLENARY SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE AND THE MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE SHALL DECLARE THE OPENING AND CLOSING OF EACH SESSION OR MEETING, DIRECT DISCUSSIONS, ENSURE THE OBSERVANCE OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND ACCORD THE RIGHT TO SPEAK.

#### IV. STEERING COMMITTEE

18. THE STEERING COMMITTEE OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL BE COMPOSED OF THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE REFERRED TO IN SECTION III ABOVE OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.

19. THE STEERING COMMITTEE SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL MATTERS RELATING TO THE CONDUCT OF THE CONFERENCE. IT SHALL MEET AS REQUIRED AND MAY SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DECISION BY THE CONFERENCE IN PLENARY SESSION.

#### V. VOTING

20. IT SHALL BE THE OBJECTIVE OF THE CONFERENCE TO OBTAIN UNANIMOUS OR CONSENSUS VIEWS IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AND IN THE PLENARY SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE. THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS SHALL APPLY SHOULD A CONSENSUS NOT BE REACHED.

#### VI. PROCEDURE

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21. ALL QUESTIONS OF PROCEDURE NOT GOVERNED BY THE PRESENT GUIDELINES SHALL BE DECIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF PROCEDURES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS. UNQUOTE

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